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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Douglas Q. Tran
Daisuke ISHIZUKA	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2625
Application No.: 10/763,165	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 6718
Filed: January 26, 2004	)	
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For: IMAGE SCANNING APPARATUS	)	
HAVING A SCANNING POSITION	:	
ADJUSTMENT CAPABILITY	)	October 22, 2008

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed herewith. Prior to further examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows.